

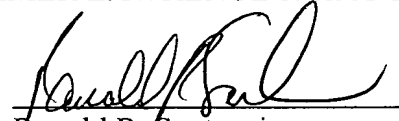
REMARKS

Consideration of the above amendments is respectfully requested. The application has been amended to add the reference to the international application and its priority application. Also, the claims have been amended to remove multiple dependencies and conform it to US practice. In addition, claims 2 and 3 were amended to more clearly identify the claim each is dependent upon. No new matter has been added. Accordingly, an early examination of the application is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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